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In accordance with AFRPD 10-1 this directive states the mission, organization, and responsibilities for the 217th Training Squadron Air Education and Training Command (AETC) gained Air National Guard (ANG) squadron. Ensure that all records created as a result of processes prescribed in this publication are maintained in accordance with Air Force Manual (AFMAN) 33-363, Management of Records, and disposed of in accordance with Air Force Records Information Management System (AFRIMS) Records Disposition Schedule (RDS) located at <http://www.my.af.mil/afirms/afirms/afirms/rims.cfm>.

1. Mission. . 217th Training Squadron is an Air National Guard (ANG) Associate Unit to Air Education and Training Command (AETC) that provides augmentation to the 17th Training Wing (AETC) instructor cadre in the event of wartime mobilization. In the event of hostilities, the unit is mobilized to offset the anticipated loss of AETC Instructor Training.

2. Command. The Commander, 217th Training Squadron:

2.1. Commands personnel assigned to 217th Training Squadron.

2.2. Provide for the following command and control measures:

2.2.1. Retains administrative and operational control over assigned units when not in a mobilized status.

2.2.2. Relinquishes administrative and operational control (ADCON and OPCON) under the Presidential Reserve Call-Up Authority (10 U.S.C. 12304) and under Partial Mobilization (10 U.S.C. 12302). OPCON of the separately mobilized personnel below wing level will be with the

RegAF Training Group. ADCON for ANG personnel activated under these authorities remains with the 201st Mission Support Squadron (ANG), Andrews AFB, MD.

2.2.3. Passes both ADCON and OPCON of mobilized units under full mobilization to the designated gaining active duty organization.

3. Responsibilities.

3.1. The Commander, 217th Training Squadron:

3.1.1. Is responsible to the AETC for administration and operational control of assigned forces when planning for or performing 17th Training Wing Associate Federal missions, and to the Governor of Texas with respect to State missions.

3.1.2. Coordinates and maintains liaison with Commander, 17th Training Wing to ensure their wing training standards and qualification levels meet mobilization requirements of AETC technical training syllabi in their respective courses.

3.1.3. Establishes necessary priorities to ensure accelerated training programs and quotas for ANG individuals, especially in areas of skill shortages, in support of AETC technical training requirements.

3.1.4 Upon mobilization provides Commander, AETC (COMAETC) with combat ready forces that can operate as seamless members of the Expeditionary Air and Space Force.

3.1.5 Ensures that ANG units and individuals ordered to active duty during a call-up or mobilization are provided necessary supervision, training, family readiness and administrative support from existing resources.

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3.1.7. Assists Regular Component forces by performing peacetime missions as an adjunct to, or corollary of, training, and assumes operations and missions assigned in whole or in part to the ANG Component, and supports operations or missions performed by associate units.

3.1.8. Carries out wartime and contingency civil defense and disaster preparedness responsibilities.

4. Direct Communication. Commander, 217th Training Squadron is authorized direct communications with HQ AETC directorates, 2 AF, and 17th Training Wing on matters related to unit mission accomplishment. Official staffing of mutual agreements/guidance messages between RegAF wings and the 217th Training Squadron should be staffed to HQ AETC for approval by AETC/A2/3/10.

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